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## NOTES OF THE SOCIETY

The Editors, acting upon the recommendation of the Executive Committee, have made arrangements for printing the JOURNAL in Germany, on account of the very reasonable rates that can be procured there. This arrangement will begin with the next volume, which will appear in two parts. But it is hoped, as soon as postal conditions warrant, to publish quarterly.

 Members and subscribers are requested to note that there will necessarily be considerable delay in issuing the next number of the JOURNAL, which, as just stated, will be a double number and will be printed in Germany. Its issuance can hardly be expected before *May or June, 1922*.

On September 27, 1921, the Executive Committee received a report from the Publication Committee on the cost of printing in Germany Blake's Tagalog Grammar and Edgerton's Pañcatantra Reconstructed. The publication of these books was recommended by the Society to the Directors (JOURNAL, 41. 175, 185), and the Directors had entrusted the matter to the Executive Committee with power to act. The following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, that the Executive Committee, having heard the report of the Publication Committee regarding the cost of publishing the books by Dr. Blake and Professor Edgerton, votes to refer the publication of these books to the Publication Committee with power to act and with power to draw upon the Treasurer for the amounts involved, not exceeding \$1000.

On the same date the Executive Committee also passed the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, that the Executive Committee recommend to the Editors that they make arrangements to print the JOURNAL abroad as soon as they deem it advisable.

*Resolved*, that the Editors take under consideration the advisability of publishing an Oriental Review and report thereon to the Executive Committee or the Board of Directors at their next meeting.

*Resolved*, that the President and the Treasurer be authorized to purchase such an amount of German marks as may be needed to cover the cost of publication of the JOURNAL during the coming year and of the two books recommended for publication.

The President was authorized by the Executive Committee to appoint a delegate to represent the American Oriental Society in the American Council of Learned Societies, in place of Professor Morris Jastrow, Jr., deceased, such delegate to serve until the next meeting of the Board of Directors.

By unanimous vote of the Executive Committee, the following have been elected to membership in the Society:

Mrs. Frances Crosby Bartter	Mr. Merton L. Miller
Dr. Joshua Bloch	Rev. Omer Hillman Mott
Mr. Cecil M. P. Cross	Prof. H. R. Purinton
Mr. Benjamin Fain	Prof. S. B. Slack
Rev. Dr. L. Legrain	Prof. Hutton Webster

In accordance with By-Law VIII (as amended in 1921), providing that, "if any corporate member shall for two years fail to pay his assessments, his name may, at the discretion of the Executive Committee, be dropped from the list of members of the Society," the following members, reported by the Treasurer to be in arrears for two years or more, have been, by vote of the Executive Committee, suspended until their back dues shall be paid.

Francis C. Anscombe  
Miss Effie Bendann  
Dr. E. W. Burlingame  
Edwin Sanford Crandon  
Prof. Alfred L. P. Dennis  
Dr. Viccaji Dinshaw  
Louis A. Dole  
Dr. Henry C. Finkel  
Prof. John Fryer  
Robert Garrett  
Rev. F. Georgelin  
Rev. K. K. Haddaway  
Mrs. Ida M. Hanchett  
Dr. Edward H. Hume  
T. Y. Leo

Prof. Enno Littman  
Walter C. Maier  
Dr. Riley D. Moore  
Rev. Hans K. Moussa  
Prof. Hanns Oertel  
Dr. Julius J. Price  
Prof. George H. Richardson  
Prof. H. Schumacher  
Dr. Charles P. G. Scott  
Dr. Henry B. Sharman  
Rabbi Emanuel Sternheim  
Dr. Walter T. Swingle  
Tseh Ling Tsu  
Rev. Samuel W. Wass

## NOTES OF OTHER SOCIETIES, ETC.

A special meeting of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences was held in Boston, October 5-7, to receive delegates from the Royal Asiatic Society and the Société Asiatique and to confer on cooperation in the promotion of Oriental studies. The foreign delegates present were A. E. Cowley, M.A., Prof. S. Langdon, Lee Shuttleworth, Esq., of Oxford; M. Alexandre Moret, director of the Musée Guimet; Prof. Paul Pelliot, of the Collège de France.

The School of Foreign Service of Georgetown University announces in connection with courses in Commerce, Diplomacy, etc., courses in Arabic, Chinese, and Japanese.

The Society of Biblical Literature and Exegesis met at the Jewish Theological Seminary, New York, December 28-29. In addition to the usual program of papers there was a Symposium on Biblical Eschatology. An evening was devoted to illustrated addresses on Palestinian and Babylonian Archaeology. New officers elected are: President, Prof. W. R. Arnold (Harvard); Treasurer, T. J. Meek (Meadville Seminary); Editors, Professors Porter, Bacon, Dahl (Yale).

In conjunction with the meeting of the Biblical Society, the corporation of the American Schools of Oriental Research held its first meeting. The trustees and officers were reelected. President J. A. Kelso (Western Theological Seminary) and Prof. Nathaniel Schmidt (Cornell) were appointed Honorary Lecturers at the School in Jerusalem for 1922-23, and Prof. Paul